



AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed November 3, 2005 in the above referenced application, for which a response is due on February 3, 2006, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this paper.